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SCRANTON, PA., FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 19, 1901.

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NEW PHASE IN MINE STRIKE

Committee Decides That Firemen Who Are United Mine Workers Must Return to Work.

BLOW AT THE STRIKERS

Operators Think That This Will Prove a Severe Blow to the Men on Strike—Seventy Thousand Miners in the Wyoming and Lackawanna Regions and 1800 Firemen—The Larger May Engulf the Smaller Organization.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilkes-Barre, July 18.—The coal operators and the striking stationary engineers of the Wyoming valley take opposite views of the action of the executive committee of the United Mine Workers which met in Scranton today. The committee decided that all firemen who are members of the United Mine Workers' organization must return to work.

OHIO DAY AT PAN-AMERICAN

Representative Citizens of the Buckeye State Are Out on Parade.

ONE OF THE BIG EVENTS

Governor Nash with His Party, Under Escort of the 8th Ohio Regiment, Enter the Grounds on Foot. The Governor Turns the Ohio Building Over to the Exposition. Senator Hanna Among the Speakers.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Buffalo, July 18.—Ohio Day will go down in Pan-American exposition records as one of the biggest days at the exposition. It will be memorable in several ways; chiefly because of the distinguished and the multitude of representative citizens that Ohio sent here to celebrate for her. It is doubtful if the Buckeye state ever on any other occasion, received the applause and praise which were showered upon her at the exposition held in the Temple of Music and it is certain that no finer praise has been bestowed upon the exposition management.

TURKS OBJECT TO CHRISTIANITY

Graduation of a Turkish Girl in Constantinople Precipitates an Edict. The Mystery of Yildiz.

GIVES UP THE WIFE WHO LOVES ANOTHER

Missouri Man Discovers His Bride's Secret and Offers Her Freedom, Which She Accepted.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Constantinople, July 17.—Following the graduation of the first Turkish girl at the American girl's college, the Turkish government has issued an edict prohibiting Turkish children from attending foreign schools, the employment of Christian teachers in Turkish households or the appearance of Turkish ladies in public places accompanied by Christian women companions. This edict deprives hundreds of foreign governesses of the means of subsistence. It is intended to prevent the dissemination of liberal ideas.

GREAT FEAT OF CRESCUS

The Chestnut Stallion Lowers the World's Trotting Record for His Glass.

MAKES MILE IN 2:05 FLAT

Wonderful Achievement at the Free-for-All Trot at Gross Point Track, Detroit—Coxey, a Bay Gelding, Wins the 2:27 Trot—Six Heats Required to Decide—The Summaries.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Detroit, July 18.—Crescus, the chestnut stallion owned and driven by George H. Ketchum, of Toledo, won the free-for-all trot on the Detroit Driving club's track at Gross Point this afternoon, and incidentally trotted the fastest heat and won the fastest race record ever made. Charlie Herr, the brown stallion owned by David C. Adell, of Lexington, Ky., and driven by Kelley, was the only opponent in the race and he was a slow second. Crescus won the first heat by five lengths in 2:04, breaking the racing record for this year on any track, and in the second heat he finished easily in 2:05 flat, breaking the world's racing record.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

- Weather Indications Today: OCCASIONAL THUNDERSTORMS. 1 General—Status of the Big Steel Strike. 2 General—Firemen Must Return to Work. 3 Local—Hearing in the D. L. & W. Injunction Proceedings. 4 Editorial. 5 Local—Officers of Mine Workers and Firemen Will Confer. 6 Local—West Scranton and Suburban. 7 General—Northwestern Pennsylvania. 8 Local—Hearing in the D. L. & W. Injunction Proceedings (Continued).

IMPORTANT STRIKE NEWS

The Men Employed at Duncansville Signify Their Willingness to Quit Work.

THE MESSAGE SURPRISE

The Amalgamated Association Did Not Expect the Communication So Soon—Ohio Board of Arbitration Offers to Adjust Strike Difficulties Help from Chicago.

EPWORTH LEAGUES IN CONVENTION

Fifteenth Annual Gathering Is Very Largely Attended at San Francisco—Auspicious Opening.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. San Francisco, July 18.—The fifteenth annual convention of the Epworth League was opened today under the most auspicious conditions. The scene at the mechanics' pavilion, where the principal exercises of the day were held, was one not soon to be forgotten. Never in its history has the spacious interior of the Mechanics' Building been so packed with people. A meeting is expected to be held tonight. The Duncansville plant is the last of the Hoop plants to remain at work, and the Amalgamated association officials say if they are successful in closing this plant they will have secured a situation as far as the Steel Hoop company is concerned at least.

OHIO OFFERS TO ARBITRATE

The action of the Ohio board of arbitration in offering to bring about a settlement of the strike created some talk today in steel circles. M. M. Garland, former president of the Amalgamated association and at present collector of the port, said that he did not consider the action of the Ohio board as unusual, but rather the carrying out of their duties as such a body. It is the duty of that board to offer its services whenever labor trouble starts that affects the industry. A meeting is expected in view of this fact. Mr. Garland could not see where the troubles were more liable to settlement now than before.

TIN MILL RUNNING

The police authorities have taken every precaution and feel prepared to cope with any trouble that may arise. The present center of the trouble seems to be at Wellsville, O., where a public mass meeting was held this afternoon for the purpose of presenting both sides of the controversy to the men and citizens generally. The district contributed attendants at the meeting and a number of speeches were made, the principal one being that of President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated association. Another meeting will be held tomorrow.

MR. DRURY RETURNS DESK AND CHAIR

Prefers Not to Accept Gifts of That Sort.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilkes-Barre, July 18.—Senator Drury shipped to Harrisburg his desk and chair sent him by Superintendent of Public Buildings here. The senator Drury says he is opposed to the principle in this gift of public property. His contention is that all property of this description according to law should be returned to the state treasury as received to be returned to the state treasury.

DEATHS OF A DAY

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, July 18.—A cablegram received from the state department announced the death of Gibraltar of Horatio J. Sprague, United States consul at Gibraltar, May 12, 1818. His son, Richard Sprague, is the vice and deputy consul at Gibraltar and it is announced at the state department that he will be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by his father's death. The Spragues are a Massachusetts family and have held the Gibraltar consulate since 1825, when Andrew Jackson appointed the father of the deceased United States consul there.

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, July 18.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday: Eastern Pennsylvania and New York, fair to cloudy, light winds, with a few showers; Western Pennsylvania, fair to cloudy, light winds, with a few showers; Northern Pennsylvania, fair to cloudy, light winds, with a few showers; Southern Pennsylvania, fair to cloudy, light winds, with a few showers.

If the coal companies can secure enough firemen who are members of an United Mine Workers to do their work in the boiler rooms, there is nothing to prevent them from starting up their collieries. A great many of the operators are confident that they can secure the required number of men. The strikers, however, hold that they cannot, and that the strike is as far from settlement as ever. To an impartial observer, however, it must be plain that the firemen of the Wyoming valley cannot win out if the mines in the Lackawanna region continue to work, which they undoubtedly will. That would mean a serious blow to the Lackawanna region and great depression in the Wyoming valley. The miners in this section would soon tire of such a state of affairs.

PIERRE LORILLARD'S WILL PROBATED

Mrs. Lillian Allen Will Receive the New Jersey Stock Farm—Relations Make No Protest.

STATEMENT OF FIREMEN

The striking engineers, at a meeting held in this city today, voted to stand with the firemen in their struggle, and engineers employed at collieries where non-union men are at work were requested to quit their posts. There was some trouble at the Haulty colliery of the Lehigh Valley Coal company this afternoon. A number of men and boys assaulted a non-union fireman named Martin Murray. The man was badly beaten. Two other men who wanted to take the place of the strikers were followed by a noisy mob. A number of special armed officers were sent to the scene and they soon restored order. At the office of the Susquehanna Coal company it was stated that nearly all their firemen had returned to work and that they expect to resume work at their Glen Lyon mines tomorrow.

INFERNAL MACHINE DOES ITS WORK

The Hand of Edgar Schroeder Blown Off at Brooklyn.

BRYAN AND AGUINALDO

A Version of the Campaign Story Is Forwarded from Lincoln.

SCHLATTER IS ARRESTED

The Divine Healer Is Charged with Vagrancy.

RIOTING AT MALTBY

First Trouble Since the Strike Opened Takes Place at the Lehigh Valley Colliery.

ON LAKE ERIE CIRCUIT

Rain Interferes with Races at Oil City.

STRIKE ILL ADVISED

President John Faheny's Opinion of the Firemen's Tie Up.

KILLED BY A FALL OF COAL

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Shenandoah, Pa., July 18.—John Kilkenny and Anthony Chikley, of this place, both of whom were married men, were instantly killed by a fall of coal at Maple Hill colliery last night. They were working on the night shift and their bodies were discovered by the fire boys making their round this morning.

FIREMEN'S WAGES INCREASED

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Pottsville, July 18.—The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company has issued notices at its thirty-six collieries increasing the wages of stationary firemen to \$5.50 a week, which, with the 10 per cent general increase of last fall, makes the wages of this class of men equal to \$11 per week. The new rates went into effect on July 1.

FELL FROM A FOOTBRIDGE TO DEATH

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Lancaster, July 18.—Gerald Scheible, of Highville, this county, fell from a foot bridge over a small stream in front of his home last evening, and was drowned. The stream was turned into a torrent by a heavy rain.

BIDDLES RECEIVE DEATH SENTENCE

Walter Dorman, Who Confessed His Part in the Crime, May Be Imprisoned for Life.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, July 18.—The United States civil commission announced today that after three months' trial of a provisional form of government in the islands of Cuba and Bolon and the province of Batangas, Luzon, control of those districts, owing to their incomplete pacification, has been returned to the military authorities, it having been proved that the communities indicated are backward and undeserving of civil administration.

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DECREASE IN CHINESE

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, July 18.—A bulletin issued by the census office today shows that there has been a decrease of the Chinese population in the United States since 1899. In 1899, the number now here being 80,899. The Japanese increased during the past ten years from 2,649 to 2,600.

STEEL PLANT SOLD

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Elmira, N. Y., July 18.—The plant of the defunct Elmira Steel company was sold at public auction today, the purchaser being H. H. Glushko, representing the first Iron and Metal company of Philadelphia and Buffalo. The consideration was \$100,000.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER

Local data for July 18, 1901. Highest temperature... 87 degrees. Lowest temperature... 67 degrees. Relative humidity... 85 per cent. Barometer... 30.00. Precipitation... 0.00. Wind... variable, partly cloudy.